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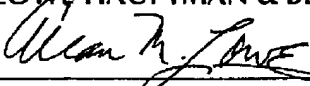
In the Form PTO-1449 included with the Information Disclosure Statement filed March 16, 2004, U.S. Patent No. 6,252,161 was incorrectly listed, and DE 40 05 297 was omitted. Accordingly, attached is a substitute Form PTO-1449 properly identifying all references, together with a copy of DE '297 in the event no copy was provided with the earlier IDS. It is respectfully requested that the listed documents be considered during prosecution of this application, and that the documents be made of record herein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue from the present application as ***set forth on the attached substitute Form PTO-1449.***

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